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**MINISTRY OF FINANCE**

**(Department of Economic Affairs)**

**NOTIFICATIONS**

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**S.R.O. 1119.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (2) of section 1 of the Indian Coinage (Amendment) Act, 1955 (31 of 1955), the Central Government hereby appoints the 1st day of April, 1957, as the date on which the said Act shall come into force.

[No. F.4(22)F.III/54(1)]

**S.R.O. 1120.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 14, of the Indian Coinage Act, 1906 (III of 1906), the Central Government hereby designates the new coin representing each of the one hundred units into which a rupee is divided under that sub-section as a 'NAYA PAISA'.

[No. F.4(22)F.III/54(II)]

**S.R.O. 1121.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6, of the Indian Coinage Act, 1906, (III of 1906), the Central Government hereby determines that:—

- (a) coins of the following denominations shall also be coined at the Mint for issue under the authority of the Central Government, namely:—
- (i) the rupee or 100 naye paise,
  - (ii) the half-rupee or 50 naye paise,
  - (iii) the quarter-rupee or 25 naye paise,
  - (iv) 10 naye paise,
  - (v) 5 naye paise,
  - (vi) 2 naye paise, and
  - (vii) 1 naya paisa.

(b) the coins of all denominations hereafter to be coined in accordance with the provisions of section 6, of the said Act, shall conform to the following dimensions, designs and composition, namely:—

Denomination of the coin	Metal Composition	Shape & outside diameter	No. of Serrations
Rupee or 100 Naye Paise.	Nickel	Circular, 28 millimetres.	200
1/2 Rupee or 50 Naye Paise.	Do.	Circular; 24 millimetres.	150
1/4 Rupee or 25 Naye Paise.	Do.	Circular; 19 millimetres.	100
10 Naye Paise.	Cupro-Nickel (Seventy-five per cent copper and twenty-five per cent nickel)	(8) Scalloped; 23 millimetres.	.
5 Naye Paise	Do.	Square; 22 millimetres.	..
2 Naye Paise	Do.	(8) Scalloped; 18 millimetres.	..
1 Naya Paisa	Brass (Ninety-Seven per cent copper, two-and-a-half percent zinc and one-half per cent tin)	Circular, 16 millimetres.	.

#### Designs

Obverse: This face of the coins shall bear the Lion Capital of the Asoka Pillar, with the terms 'Bharat' in Hindi and 'India' in English inscribed thereon.

Reverse: This face of the coins shall bear the year of coinage and the value of the coins in International Numerals. In addition to the value, the number of such coins required to make up one rupee shall also be indicated as shown below—

सो नये पैसे	..	१ रुपया	1 रुपया
रुपये का आधा भाग	..	५० नये पैसे	50 नये पैसे
रुपये का चौथा भाग	..	२५ नये पैसे	25 नये पैसे
रुपये का दसवाँ भाग	..	१० नये पैसे	10 नये पैसे
रुपये का बीसवाँ भाग	..	५ नये पैसे	5 नये पैसे
रुपये का पचासवाँ भाग	.	२ नये पैसे	2 नये पैसे
रुपये का सौवाँ भाग		१ नया पैसा	1 नया पैसा

On the higher denomination coins, i.e., the rupee, 50 Naye Paise and 25 Naye Paise, the Ears of Corn design shall appear

[No F 4(22) FIII/54(III) ]

**S.R.O. 1122**—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 21 read with section 7 of the Indian Coinage Act, 1906 (III of 1906), the Central Government hereby makes the following rule, namely—

The standard weight of the coins coined under the provisions of section 6 of the said Act, and the remedy allowed in the making of such coins shall be as specified below—

Denomination	Weight	Remedy allowed (not exceeding)
Rupee or 100 Naye Paise.	10 grammes	1/40th in weight
1/2 Rupee or 50 Naye Paise	5 grammes	Do
1/4 Rupee or 25 Naye Paise.	2 1/2 grammes	Do.
10 Naye Paise	5 grammes	Do
5 Naye Paise	4 grammes	Do.
2 Naye Paise	3 grammes	Do
1 Naya Paisa	1 1/2 grammes	Do.

[No F 4(22) FIII/54(iv) ]  
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